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Methods of Internet Self-Education

Nowadays role of online education is extraordinary great. Currently studying language with internet is live issue, because classical education in school and university are not able to give an opportunity to speak fluently. In my opinion if you want to talk and understand foreign speech you must be engaged in self-education. In the article I will try to describe alternative ways of studying languages. We can make the learning process not only easy and quickly but also very fun.

Internet resources and software for studying a foreign languages

Busuu.com – this site represents communications with native speakers. These courses are very easy and have a nice graphic design. There is a chat and a video chat in this site. For instance:

lang-8.com, correctmytext.com – correction of texts;

sharedtalk.com – represents a video chat;

livemocha.com – exercises with native speakers, communication and so on. (completely free);

www.interpals.net – a specialized social network to communicate with native speakers;

chat.icq.com – language chats. (for practice);

sharedtalk.com – similar to the Busuu.com.

Anki – a multiplatform that is open to memorize words. The program is based on the technique of spaced repetition. With this program you can remember new vocabulary quickly and permanently.

Also software's and sites like an anki:

- Spindle Learning aka LearnThat.org;
- Flashonary;
- Memrise;
- Mnemosyne;
- OpenCards;
- Skritter;
- SuperMemo;
- Duolingo;
- Linguistadores.

Television and radio

This recourse is used for passive extension of vocabulary:

www.streamingthe.net – radio in many languages;

spotlightenglish.com/listen – 5 broadcast on different topics. Speak slowly thereby suitable for beginners;

englishtexts.ru/radio – different radio broadcast. Includes radios such as “Voice Of America–Special English” (This broadcast specially for begginers);

BBC broadcasts – ideal variant for begginers because their speech slowly audible.

www.youtube.com – great video resource, including many different lessons for studying foreign languages

Educational literature and forums

how-to-learn-any-language.com – largest forum of polyglots also have recommendations for studying unusual and ancient language;

uz-translations.su – a great number of materials for studying different languages, from faroese to esperanto;

franklang.ru – abundance of bilingual books;
2ch.hk/fl – informal forum about foreign language;
studynow.ru – have radio and colloquialisms handbook.

To sum it up, we dare say that there are many ways to study a foreign language and modern technologies can make this process of learning much easier.

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